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NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED SECUNDERABAD
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to appoint the faculties at the level of Associate Professors and Professors at the National Institute for the Mentally Handicapped at Secunderabad to suit the growing academic, Research and training needs of the mentally handicapped sector;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (DR. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA)

(a) to (c) The National Institute for the Mentally handicapped (NIMH), with a set of qualified academic faculty, runs various degree/diploma courses/training programmes. The Institute has proposed to introduce some new long term training programmes which will require strengthening of its academic faculty.